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WHEREAS, it would greatly relieve the poor debtors within this state, and their creditors from the costs accruing upon suits in the courts of law, and from the great delays which attend the same, if the powers vested in the justices of the peace of the counties of this state were severally extended, under similar exceptions and regulations as are contained in the act for the more easy and speedy recovery of small debts, which was enacted the first day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and forty five: Therefore,

Section I. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same*, that from and after the fifteenth day of June next, the jurisdiction, authority, and powers of the justices of the peace of the several counties within this state, which are vested in them severally by the act entitled, "an act for the more easy and speedy recovery of small debts," passed on the first day of March, one thousand seven hundred and forty five, shall be, and the same are hereby extended to actions of debt, and other demands, not exceeding twenty pounds, subject to the like relief to insolvent debtors, and under every other regulation, restriction, and exception in the same contained, as to costs of suit, and otherwise, as if the said act for the more easy and speedy recovery of small debts was herein recapitulated and re-enacted, other than the limitation thereof to debts and demands, not exceeding five pounds. And if any person or persons shall, after the fifteenth day of June next, bring any suit or action in other manner than is provided by the act to which this is a supplement, except as to the limitations, and shall not recover more than twenty pounds in such suit or action, he, she, or they, shall not have judgment for any costs therein expended, except as in and by the said act is provided.—Provided always, that in all cases where the debt or demand shall be above five pounds, and not exceeding ten pounds, execution shall be stayed for the space of six months from the date of each judgment respectively: in case the defendant is a freeholder, or enters special bail, and where the debt or other demand shall be above ten pounds, and not exceeding twenty pounds, executions shall be stayed for the space of nine months, from the date of each judgment respectively. In case the defendant is a freeholder, or enters special bail in the manner provided by the act to which this is a supplement, and provided always, that from and after the fifteenth day of June next, in any plea of debt or demand exceeding ten pounds, heretofore, or hereby made cognizable before any justice of the peace which may be brought and depending before such justice. If before judgment rendered, the defendant or defendants shall elect to have the cause tried in the court of common pleas, and offer sufficient security in the nature of special bail; if the cause originated by warrant of arrest, or to file a common appearance; if it originated by summons, the justice before whom such suit is depending may and shall take such recognizance of bail, or warrant for common appearance to the said suit, to be entered as of the term then next ensuing, for the county in which said suit is depending, and transmit the same, with a copy of his proceedings, to the prothonotary of the said county; and such recognizance or warrant shall be as effectual as if taken and acknowledged before a judge of the said court, and thereupon all further proceedings before the said justice shall cease, and the cause or suit shall be prosecuted in the said court. And if any plaintiff, in any such cause so aforesaid depending, shall before judgment elect to have the same tried as aforesaid, the justice before whom the same is depending shall, on demand made, transmit all proceedings in such cause before him to the then next court of common pleas as aforesaid, to be proceeded on as aforesaid, and for which transcript, or any other obtained by virtue of this act, the justice shall be allowed in the cost, to be taxed twenty cents and no more. And provided also, that in all cases where the debt or demand shall be above five pounds, it shall be lawful for any person or persons who shall conceive him, her, or themselves aggrieved by the judgment of any justice of the peace, at any time within the space of three weeks next following the giving of such judgment, but not after to appeal therefrom to the court of common pleas to be holden for the county in which such suit shall be commenced, in the same manner and subject to all other restrictions and provisions as were proposed by the above mentioned act.

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Sect. V. Provided nevertheless, and be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the repeal aforesaid shall not discontinue, nay, or effect any suit or action now depending, or which shall be commenced before the said fifteenth day of June next, under the act which is repealed as aforesaid; but the same act shall continue, and be in force for the purpose of attaining the full effect and purpose of every such suit and action, as efficaciously as if this act had not been made.

Sect. VI. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the electors of each county town; township, or district which now is, or hereafter shall be in any of the counties within this commonwealth, shall annually, on the same day, and at the same place where they meet to choose supervisors of the highways, elect two freeholders in said town, township, or district, and return the names of the persons so elected as aforesaid to the next court of quarter sessions; and said court shall appoint one of them to be constable for the town, township, or district in which he was chosen, for one year from and after the time of his appointment. And if the said constable shall refuse or neglect to take upon him the office as above directed, the court may and shall appoint another proper person in the district to serve the office of constable; and every person elected and appointed, or to be appointed by the court, and who shall refuse or neglect to take upon himself the office as before mentioned, shall be fined by the court in any sum not exceeding sixteen dollars; provided nevertheless, that no person shall be compelled to serve said office more than one in every fifteen years.

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Sec. X. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the power and jurisdiction of the justices of the peace in the several counties within this state, shall be and the same are hereby extended to execute the law passed March the second, one thousand seven hundred and twenty two and three, against the taking any interest exceeding six per cent. upon any sum not exceeding twenty pounds, under similar exceptions and regulations as are contained in the act for the more easy and speedy recovery of small debts.

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GEORGE LATIMER, Speaker of the House of Representatives.
ANTHONY MORRIS, Speaker of the Senate.

Approved, April 19, 1794.
THOMAS MIFFIN, Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Foreign Intelligence.

BRUSSELS, March 15.

LAST night, major general Haddick arrived from Vienna, with important dispatches relative to the conduct of the campaign, and the inauguration of the emperor. The inauguration is to take place in the course of this month, and the arch-duke Charles to act as proxy for the emperor; after which it is supposed that gen. Haddick has brought him the emperor's leave to join the army. In the mean time, his field equipage is kept in constant readiness.

PARIS, March 11.

Thomas Paine, in his prison here, is determined not to remain idle. A production of his has just made its appearance in English, and bears the following title: The Age of Reason; being an investigation of True and Fabulous Theology. By Thomas Paine, Citizen and cultivator, of the United States of America," &c.

The inhabitants of this metropolis, and its environs to the distance of several leagues, are all extremely discontented; the poor cannot obtain the common necessaries of life, and provisions are extremely scarce and exorbitantly dear. The convention is publicly vilified in hand-bills distributed and stuck up throughout Paris, and a division even subsists between the most hot-headed patriots.

In the sitting of the cordeliers on the 9th, Vincent demanded the punishment of the remainder of the Brissotines who are in confinement; and denounced a new faction, pointing out Philippeaux, Bourdon, and Camille Desmoulins, as its chiefs, who wished to destroy liberty; and those deputies have since been expelled from that society.

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An American brig, —, Helen, arrived at Cowes yesterday morning, after a passage of 24 hours from Havre de Grace, where she had discharged a cargo of tobacco. The master and crew report, that the place is crouded with troops; and that the utmost diligence and exertion is making in the arsenal. But that the chief attention of the artificers is directed to the construction of red-hot shot, which they learned, were intended to be fixed on board some of the numerous vessels that at this time throng the harbour. They add, that provisions were very scarce, and the dearness of them much murmured at by the inhabitants.

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Redſtone, the 10th of 4th month, 1794.

A Latin School.

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It is in a beautiful and healthy part of the country, and boarding, waſhing, &c. may be had at reputable houſes in the neighbourhood at the low rate of ten pounds per annum.

The ſchool is under good regulations, and thoſe inclining to patronize it may rely on a particular attention being paid to the morals and improvement of thoſe committed to their care, by the public's humble ſervants,

JAMES DUNLAP,
WILLIAM LITTELL.
April 22, 1794.

NOTICE.

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SAMUEL M'DOWELL.
April 17, 1794.

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NOTICE.

I HAVE opened an Office in the Town of Lexington, in the ſtate of Kentucky, for the tranſaction of buſineſs on COMMISSION. Attention ſhall be given to the ſale or purchaſe of lands, the regiſtering and payment of taxes thereon, which the laws of Kentucky require previous to the firſt day of January, 1795, in failure whereof all lands are ſubjected to forfeiture within the ſtate.

I will alſo ſettle accounts, collect debts, and do ſuch other buſineſs as I may be favored with. My compenſation for regiſtering, will be 6d per 100, for all tracts of 1000 acres and upwards, and 9d per 100, for all under 1000 acres. Mr. Robert Pollard, of Richmond, will forward letters, papers, and money to my office, provided the poſtage is paid.

RICHARD TERRELL.

By the Preſident of the United States of America.

A Proclamation.

WHEREAS by information given on oath, it appears that in the night time of the twenty ſecond day of November a number of armed men having their faces blackened and being otherwiſe diſguiſed, violently broke open and entered the dwelling houſe of Benjamin Wells collecter of the revenue ariſing from ſpirits diſtilled within the United States, in and for the counties of Weſtmoreland & Fayette in the diſtrict of Pennſylvania, and by aſſaulting the ſaid collector and puting him in fear and danger of his life, in his dwelling houſe aforeſaid, in the ſaid county of Fayette did compel him to deliver up to them his commiſſion for collecting the ſaid revenue, together with the books kept by him in the execution of his ſaid duty, and did threaten to do further violence to the ſaid collector, if he did not ſhortly thereafter publicly renounce the further execution of his ſaid office:

AND WHEREAS ſeveral of the perpetrators of the ſaid offence are ſtill unknown, and the ſafety and good order of ſociety require that ſuch daring offenders ſhould be diſcovered and brought to juſtice ſo that infractions of the law may be prevented, obedience to them ſecured, and officers protected in the due execution of the truſts repoſed in them, therefore I have thought proper to offer and hereby do offer a reward of TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS for each of the ſaid offenders that ſhall be diſcovered and brought to juſtice for the ſaid offence, to be paid to the perſon or perſons who ſhall firſt diſcover and give information of the ſaid offenders to any judge, juſtice of the peace, or other magiſtrate.

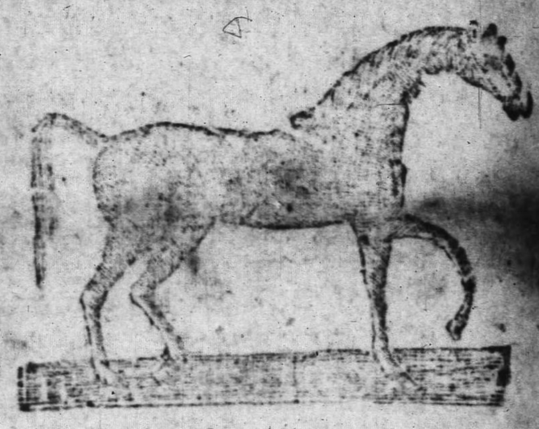
And I do hereby ſtrictly charge and enjoin all officers and miniſters of juſtice according as their reſpective duties may require, to uſe their beſt endeavors to cauſe the offenders to be diſcovered apprehend and ſecured, ſo that they may be ſpeedily brought to trial for the offence aforeſaid.

IN Teſtimony Whereof I (L. S.) have cauſed the ſeal of the U. States of America to be affixed to theſe preſents, and ſigned the ſame with my hand. Done at the city of Philadelphia the 24th day of February one thouſand ſevenhundred & ninety four, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the eighteenth.

Go. WASHINGTON.

By the Preſident
EDM: RANDOLPH.

The Famous HORSE



JOLLY CHESTER,

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Jolly Cheſter is a dark bay, with a ſmall ſtar in his forehe[illegible], full 15 hands and an half high, remarkably ſtrong and well built, and his colts are not exceeded by any in this country. His ſire was a full blooded horſe, his dam was ſeven-eighth blooded, her ſire was called Wildair, her dam was a Bullyrock mare, formerly the property of Gen. Herod.

JOHN METZGER.
April 5, 1794.

The Famous Horse

The Farmers Delight.

WILL cover Mares this ſeaſon at the following places, viz.—At M'Nair's tavern the ſecond week in April, the next week at David Calhoon's in Mifflin townſhip. He will ſtand week about at the above places until the firſt of Auguſt next, when the ſeaſon will end, at the low rate of ſeventeen ſhillings and ſix pence the ſeaſon, thirty five ſhillings for enſuring, and one buſhel of oats, payable either in caſh, rye, corn, or oats, at caſh price, delivered by the firſt of October next at M'Nair's tavern, or John Small's mill near the above Calhoun's; one dollar in caſh and one buſhel of oats the ſingle leap.

The FARMERS DELIGHT is a dark bay, white feet, ſtar in his forehead, 8 years old this ſpring, 16 hands high, ſtrong and neat made, his ſire was the full ball breed, and his dam of the Æſopus, his make and carriage will pleaſe any who may chooſe to examine him.

WILLIAM RACHES.

BULLYROCK,

WILL cover mares this ſeaſon at the ſtable of William Jack, Eſq. at the low rate of *Twenty five Shillings* the ſeaſon, if the money is paid by the firſt day of September next, if not, *Thirty Shillings.*

BULLYROCK is a fine bay, with a blaze in his forehead, two feet white, mane and tail black, 7 years old this ſpring, ſtrong and handſome, both moving and otherwiſe, and excellent for getting good colts. Paſturage may be had for mares brought a diſtance, and attendance will be given, by PAUL SHUEMAN.

Greenſburgh, *March* 26, 1794.

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Beaver Town Lots and Out-Lots.

PURSUANT *to instructions received from the Governor, bearing date the 25th day of March last,* NOTICE *is hereby given, that unless the purchaser or purchasers of Town and Out-lots at Beaver Town, on the Ohio river, do respectively make his or their second payment within three months from and after the date of this publication, to the Receiver General of the Land Office in the city of Philadelphia, and take out their Patents, they will severally incur a forfeiture of the monies heretofore by them paid.*

FRANCIS JOHNSTON, R. G.

April 12, 1794.

Four Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber on the 22d inst. an indented negro man named DAN, about 5 feet 7 or 8 inches high, near 18 years of age, had on when he went away, a tow linen shirt and trowsers, a black silk handkerchief, a new felt hat with a small buckle and ribband to it, black buckskin mockasins, a striped cloth jacket, had a scar near the corner of his mouth, and remarkable large feet, plays on the fiddle, its possible he may change his dress and pass for a freeman. The above reward will be given to any person that will bring him home or secure him in any jail, so as the subscriber will get him again.

PAT: TIERNAN.

Redstone Fort, April 24, 1794.

Five Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber on the 15th of April last, living in Ohio county, near West Liberty, a negro man named BEN, 19 years of age, tall and slender built, a sour countenance, his fore teeth appears black, had an iron collar on his neck, took with him a blue coat with red cuffs and collar, striped waistcoat, leather breeches, and new shoes. Whoever takes up said negro and secures him in any jail, so that his master can get him again, shall have the above reward, and if brought home, shall be paid reasonable charges.

DAVID CHAMBERS.

May 1st, 1794.

IRON for Sale.

A Quantity of excellent IRON, well assorted, for sale by W. H. BEAUMONT, at the Stone House in Second street, corner of Chancery lane.

Pittsburgh, April 10, 1794.

Hemp Wanted.

A generous Price will be given in CASH, for good clean HEMP, by

MARGARET ROSS.

Pittsburgh, April 16, 1794.

FOR SALE.

FOUR hundred acres of Land, situate on the south side of Main Licking, in the county of Fayette, in Kentucky. This land is of the first rate. The terms will be made easy, and an indisputable title will be given. For further particulars apply to

ADAM BURCHFIELD.

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Jackson & Co.

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It is in a beautiful and healthy part of the country, and boarding, washing, &c. may be had at reputable houses in the neighbourhood at the low rate of ten pounds per annum.

The school is under good regulations, and those inclining to patronize it may rely on a particular attention being paid to the morals and improvement of those committed to their care, by the public's humble servants,

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WILLIAM LITTELL.

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By the President of the United States of America.

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AND WHEREAS several of the perpetrators of the said offence are still unknown, and the safety and good order of society require that such daring offenders should be discovered and brought to justice so that infractions of the law may be prevented, obedience to them secured, and officers protected in the due execution of the trusts reposed in them, therefore I have thought proper to offer and hereby do offer a reward of TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS for each of the said offenders that shall be discovered and brought to justice for the said offence, to be paid to the person or persons who shall first discover and give information of the said offenders to any judge, justice of the peace, or other magistrate.

And I do hereby strictly charge and enjoin all officers and ministers of justice according as their respective duties may require, to use their best endeavors to cause the offenders to be discovered apprehend and secured, so that they may be speedily brought to trial for the offence aforesaid.

IN Testimony Whereof I
(L. S.) have caused the seal of the U. States of America to be affixed to these presents, and signed the same with my hand. Done at the city of Philadelphia the 24th day of February one thousand sevenhundred & ninety four, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the eighteenth.

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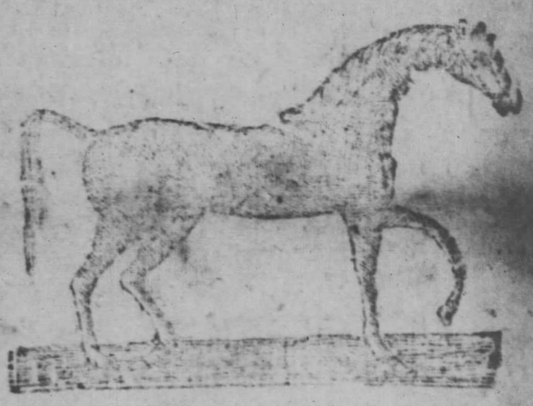
By the President

EDM: RANDOLPH.

THE FAMOUS HORSE



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Greensburgh, *March* 26, 1794.